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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

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BILL NUMBER: HB 1256

DATE PREPARED: Jan 31, 2002

BILL AMENDED: Jan 30, 2002

SUBJECT: Executive and Legislative Commissions.

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FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL
DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: (Amended) This bill establishes the Executive Commission on Hispanic and Latino Affairs and establishes the Legislative Commission on Native American Affairs.

Effective Date: July 1, 2002.

Explanation of State Expenditures: (Revised) *Executive Commission on Hispanic and Latino Affairs:* The Commission will consist of 13 voting members: a) two members from the Senate; b) two members from the House of Representatives; c) two lay members appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate; and d) two lay members appointed by the Speaker of the House; and d) five lay members appointed by the Governor. Legislative members and lay members will be entitled to a per diem and a mileage reimbursement. Any state employees appointed to the Commission are entitled to a mileage reimbursement.

Legislative members would be entitled to \$112 per diem and a \$0.345 mileage reimbursement. Mileage and per diem for legislative members would be paid from the appropriations made to the Legislative Council or the Legislative Services Agency.

Lay members would be entitled to \$50 per diem and \$0.345 mileage reimbursement. Mileage and per diem for lay members would be paid from the appropriations made to the Department of Workforce Development.

The Department of Workforce Development will staff the Commission. Commission expenses would be paid from appropriations to the Department of Workforce Development. The bill does not specify the number of meetings that will be held.

Legislative Commission on Native American Affairs: The Commission will consist of 16 voting members: a) four members from the Senate; b) four members from the House of Representatives; c) four lay members appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate; and d) four lay members appointed by the Speaker of the House. Legislative

Council Resolution 01-03 allocated study committees with at least 16 members \$18,500 during the 2001 interim from funds appropriated to the Legislative Council from the state General Fund to provide for travel and per diem expenses.

The Legislative Services Agency will staff the Commission.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

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State Agencies Affected: Department of Workforce Development; Governor's Office; Legislative Services Agency.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources: